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ATTEMPT KIDNAPPING SUSPECT SOUGHT

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San Diego County Crime Stoppers, working with San Diego Police Department Western Division detectives, is seeking the public's assistance to identify and locate the suspect responsible for an attempt kidnapping in Linda Vista.

On April 19, 2007, at about 5 p.m. a 13-year-old girl was walking in the 2400 block of Ulric Street when a two-door, beige car drove up. There were about nine people in the car. One suspect got out of the car and grabbed the victim and tried to pull her into the car. The victim kicked and punched the suspect several times and was able to break free and get to the Jack in the Box nearby on Linda Vista Road. She called for help at that time. The victim was not hurt.

Detectives say the suspect is a Hispanic male between 18 and 20 years old, 5'7" tall with black hair and brown eyes. He was wearing a black shirt and blue jeans. A composite photo of the suspect can be found on the second page of this release. The suspect vehicle is described as an older model two-door beige car with a cracked rear window and torn interior seats.

Detectives are looking for anyone with information on this case to come forward. Anyone with information on this case can call the Crime Stoppers anonymous tip line at (888) 580-TIPS; they can also call Western Division directly at (619) 692-4800. Crime Stoppers is offering up to a \$1,000 reward to anyone with information that leads to the arrest of this suspect. Collect calls are accepted and callers may remain anonymous.

Media inquiries should be directed to:

- Questions regarding the investigation should be directed to Detective John Davis at (619)692-4800.
- Questions regarding Crime Stoppers should be directed to Officer Jim Johnson at (619) 531-1500 or Deputy Adriana Uribe at (619) 531-1547.

For information leading to an arrest, you could receive up to a \$1,000 reward and remain anonymous. The qualification of any person(s) for the reward and the amount of the reward for any person(s) so qualifying will be determined by San Diego County Crime Stoppers, Inc, in its sole discretion. The amount of all rewards given shall not exceed \$1,000. Information must be received on the tip line, (888) 580-TIPS.

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